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Consumer Price Index ◆ September 2009

Consumer Price Index (2002=100)

Highlights

- British Columbia's Consumer Price Index (CPI) fell 1.2% from September 2008, the fourth month in a row of declines. Prince Edward Island had largest year-over-year drop (-1.4%), while Saskatchewan was the only province to experience inflation with a 0.2% rise from last September. Nationally, prices declined 0.9% from a year ago.

- Among the metropolitan areas, Regina continued to have the highest year-over-year increase in consumer prices (+0.6%) followed by Saskatoon (+0.2%). Residents in Thunder Bay (-1.6%) experienced the largest decline in consumer prices, while Vancouver's and Victoria's CPI fell 1.0% from September 2008.

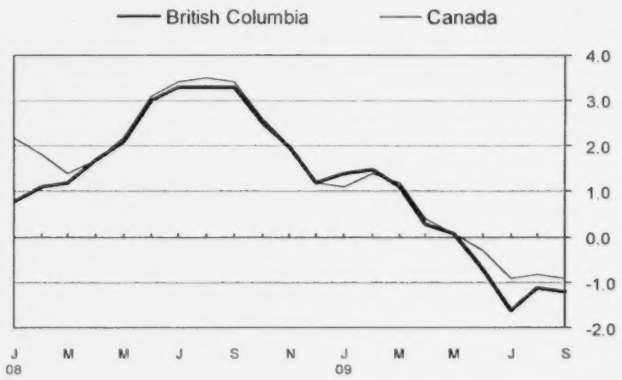
- Energy prices continued to drive the cost of living down across the country. In BC, major price declines from a year ago were seen for fuel oil (-29.3%), piped gas (-20.2%) and gasoline (-20.0%). Consumers also paid less for owned accommodation (-4.2%) and children's clothing (-3.4%). Food prices rose (+2.3%), with increases in the price of fish & other seafood (+9.6%) offset by lower prices for fresh vegetables (-4.5%) and fresh fruit (-2.5%). Other notable price increases were seen for reading material & other printed matter (+8.4%) and cigarettes (+4.1%).

- BC's All-Items CPI excluding energy rose 0.4% from September 2008. The comparable figure for Canada was 1.3%.

Note: Statistics Canada will release the October Consumer Price Index on November 18, 2009.

2002=100	All-Items Index	% Change from	
	Sept. 2009	August 2009	Sept. 2008
Canada	114.7	0.0	-0.9
BC	112.7	-0.1	-1.2
Vancouver	113.5	-0.1	-1.0
Victoria	112.2	-0.1	-1.0
Core Canada[1]	114.1	0.3	1.5

BC and Canada Inflation Trend
(% change, same month of previous year)



2002=100	Latest 12-month Average Index (ending in Sept. 2009)	Latest 12-month Average % Change	2008 Annual Average % Change
Canada	114.2	0.6	2.3
BC	112.3	0.4	2.1
Vancouver	112.9	0.6	2.4
Victoria	111.9	0.6	1.8

[1]**The Core CPI for Canada:** Defined by the Bank of Canada as the All-items index excluding the eight most volatile components (fruit, vegetables, gasoline, fuel oil, natural gas, mortgage interest, inter-city transportation and tobacco products). Also excluded is the effect of changes in indirect taxes on the remaining components.

Consumer Price Index—Terms and Definitions

Base Effect

The 12-month variation in the CPI is calculated by comparing the current month's index with the index for the same month of the previous year. The 12-month change is represented by the difference in the indexes of the reference months. Thus, the 12-month variation can decrease from one month to the next merely because the base serving as the point of comparison increased.

Source: Statistics Canada

Twelve-Month Percent Changes

Also referred to as "year-over-year", twelve-month percent changes compare indexes for a given month to indexes for the same month of the previous year. As they compare two points in time, they are influenced by unusual or temporary events that can affect either of the two months. Their calculation does not include any of the intervening monthly indexes.

Source: Statistics Canada

Annual Average Index

Annual average indexes are calculated by averaging index levels over the 12 months of the calendar year. These data should not be confused with the 12-month change in the CPI. By the nature of the calculation, averaging indexes over the calendar year gives a better representation of price behaviour over the whole year and is closer to the concept of an average price. The use of annual averages is considered the preferred option for indexation purposes.

Source: Statistics Canada

Latest Twelve-Month Average Index

The latest twelve-month average index (ending in the current month) is a 12-month moving average of the indexes of the most recent 12 months. It is calculated like the annual average index. Hence, in theory, the December twelve-month average index would be equal to the annual average index for the calendar year. However, in practice, when BC Stats makes these calculations from published data, the December 12-month average index may differ from Statistics Canada's published annual average index due to rounding.

Source: Statistics Canada

More information about the concepts and use of the CPI is available online in the Statistics Canada publication *Your Guide to the Consumer Price Index*, (catalogue 62-557-XIB) (http://www.statcan.gc.ca/bsolc/olc-cel/olc-cel?catno=62-557-X&lang=eng)

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September 2009 Consumer Price Index (2002=100)

	British Columbia			Canada		
	Index	% Change		Index	% Change	
	September 2009	August 2009	September 2008	September 2009	August 2009	September 2008
All-Items Index (2002=100)	**112.7**	**-0.1**	**-1.2**	**114.7**	**0.0**	**-0.9**
Food	**117.3**	**-0.9**	**2.3**	**120.4**	**-0.9**	**2.8**
Food Purchased From Stores	116.4	-1.5	2.3	119.7	-1.5	2.7
Meat	115.3	-1.2	1.3	118.6	-0.4	2.6
Fish & Other Seafood	106.3	-2.8	9.6	109.4	-1.1	7.5
Dairy Products & Eggs	123.2	-0.2	3.4	128.9	0.6	2.5
Bakery & Other Cereal Products	130.2	-1.0	2.6	136.9	-0.5	1.7
Fruit, Fruit Preparations & Nuts	111.0	-3.4	0.1	109.4	-3.4	-0.8
Fresh Fruit	105.6	-3.9	-2.5	101.6	-5.4	-4.5
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	101.6	-3.2	-1.6	97.7	-8.0	2.5
Fresh Vegetables	94.8	-3.8	-4.5	89.1	-10.8	0.1
Other Food Products	116.3	-1.0	3.8	120.8	-1.0	4.8
Coffee & Tea	113.8	-0.4	2.7	118.4	-1.3	2.6
Non-Alcoholic Beverages	103.2	-1.7	3.2	113.3	-1.0	3.6
Food Purchased From Restaurants	118.9	0.1	2.1	121.8	0.2	2.8
Shelter	**111.4**	**-0.2**	**-3.6**	**120.9**	**-0.2**	**-1.8**
Rented Accommodation	108.2	0.1	1.6	109.8	0.1	1.5
Owned Accommodation	111.3	-0.4	-4.2	125.2	-0.2	0.1
Property taxes	129.2	0.0	4.3	124.1	0.0	3.2
Water, Fuel & Electricity	119.2	0.4	-8.7	123.7	-0.4	-11.3
Electricity	114.4	0.0	0.8	115.8	-1.1	2.3
Piped Gas	115.3	0.0	-20.2	106.0	-1.9	-33.0
Fuel Oil & Other Fuel	172.1	9.3	-29.3	160.8	7.0	-32.7
Household Operations & Furnishings	**106.0**	**-0.5**	**1.6**	**107.9**	**0.8**	**2.2**
Household Operations	111.1	0.0	2.6	113.9	1.0	2.8
Household Furnishings	96.9	-1.3	0.0	97.8	0.7	1.0
Clothing & Footwear	**102.1**	**3.0**	**0.8**	**94.9**	**3.0**	**-1.2**
Clothing	96.3	4.3	-0.6	89.8	4.3	-2 4
Women's Clothing	98.5	4.2	-0.6	89.6	6.5	-3.3
Men's Clothing	97.7	5.7	0.5	92.6	2.1	-1.3
Children's Clothing	85.3	1.2	-3.4	83.4	2.0	-1.8
Footwear	100.3	3.3	-0.7	94.9	1.9	-0.5
Transportation	**114.6**	**-0.2**	**-6.2**	**113.6**	**-1.0**	**-7.2**
Private Transportation	113.4	-0.4	-7.4	112.4	-1.1	-8.3
Operation of Motor Vehicles	136.7	0.8	-8.4	139.5	-0.4	-9.8
Gasoline	153.9	1.9	-20.0	142.6	-1.5	-23.0
Public Transportation	124.1	0.8	2.6	124.4	-0.9	3.0
Local & Commuter	127.1	0.0	3.5	129.3	0.0	2.5
Inter-City	123.1	1.1	2.2	121.6	-1.3	3.2
Health & Personal Care	**112.5**	**0.3**	**3.1**	**113.7**	**1.1**	**3.9**
Health Care	117.5	0.2	2.6	117.7	1.1	3.6
Personal Care	106.5	0.3	3.6	109.9	0.9	4.3
Recreation, Education & Reading	**113.5**	**0.4**	**1.4**	**105.0**	**0.6**	**1.1**
Recreation	101.6	-0.6	0.4	97.8	-0.7	-0.4
Education & Reading	151.9	3.1	4.0	127.3	3.7	4.8
Education	163.5	3.0	3.3	131.2	4.2	4.5
Reading Material & Other Printed Matter	113.6	3.6	8.4	113.8	1.8	6.5
Alcoholic Beverages & Tobacco Products	**124.2**	**0.1**	**2.6**	**131.3**	**-0.1**	**2.6**
Alcoholic Beverages	114.0	0.0	1.5	114.5	-0.1	2.1
Alcoholic Beverages Purchased from Stores	114.1	0.1	1.3	111.4	-0.2	1.1
Beer Purchased from Stores	123.0	0.0	4.0	115.2	0.1	2.2
Liquor Purchased from Stores	110.6	0.4	0.1	110.4	0.0	1.1
Tobacco Products & Smokers' Supplies	136.5	0.1	4.2	146.5	0.0	3.2
Cigarettes	136.4	0.0	4.1	146.5	0.1	3.2
All-Items Excluding Food	111.8	0.1	-1.9	113.5	0.1	-1.6
All-Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	112.3	-0.1	-1.3	114.0	-0.1	-1.0
All-Items Excluding Food & Energy	109.7	0.0	-0.1	111.8	0.3	0.9

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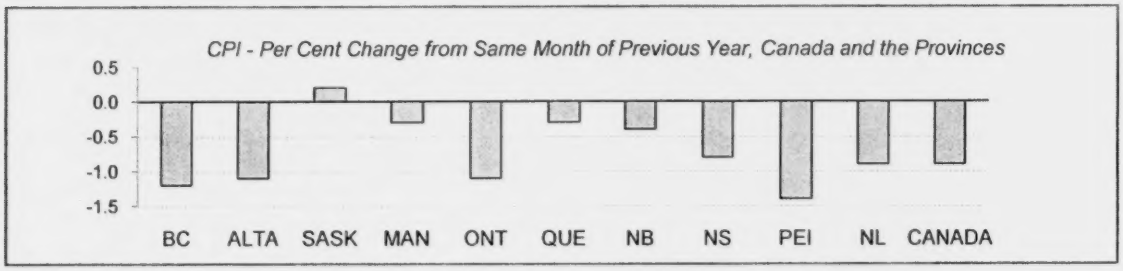
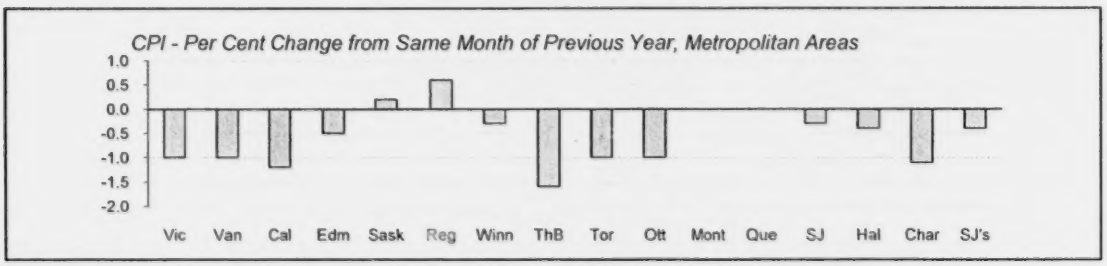
Provinces	Monthly Index	% Change		Annual Index		% Change
	September 2009	August 2009	September 2008	2008	2007	2007/08
Canada	114.7	0.0	-0.9	114.1	111.5	2.3
Newfoundland & Labrador	115.2	0.2	-0.9	114.3	111.1	2.9
Prince Edward Island	118.6	0.3	-1.4	117.5	113.6	3.4
Nova Scotia	116.7	0.0	-0.8	115.9	112.5	3.0
New Brunswick	114.2	0.1	-0.4	113.2	111.3	1.7
Quebec	113.7	-0.2	-0.3	112.7	110.4	2.1
Ontario	113.8	0.1	-1.1	113.3	110.8	2.3
Manitoba	114.8	0.3	-0.3	113.4	110.9	2.3
Saskatchewan	117.5	-0.3	0.2	115.9	112.2	3.3
Alberta	121.5	-0.4	-1.1	121.6	117.9	3.1
British Columbia	**112.7**	**-0.1**	**-1.2**	**112.3**	**110.0**	**2.1**
Whitehorse	113.7	-0.4	-1.0	113.4	109.5	3.6
Yellowknife	116.4	0.1	-0.7	115.2	110.8	4.0
Iqaluit (Dec. 2002=100)	113.2	-0.7	1.2	110.4	107.9	2.3



Metropolitan Areas	Monthly Index	% Change		Annual Index		% Change
	September 2009	August 2009	September 2008	2008	2007	2007/08
St. John's	115.3	0.2	-0.4	114.0	110.7	3.0
Charlottetown	118.3	0.3	-1.1	116.9	113.2	3.3
Halifax	116.3	0.1	-0.4	115.2	112.0	2.9
Saint John	114.3	0.1	-0.3	113.2	111.2	1.8
Quebec City	113.6	-0.2	0.0	112.4	110.1	2.1
Montreal	113.8	-0.2	0.0	112.6	110.3	2.1
Ottawa	113.9	0.1	-1.0	113.1	110.7	2.2
Toronto	113.7	0.1	-1.0	113.1	110.5	2.4
Thunder Bay	110.4	0.2	-1.6	110.4	108.1	2.1
Winnipeg	114.6	0.3	-0.3	113.3	110.8	2.3
Regina	117.6	-0.3	0.6	115.2	111.7	3.1
Saskatoon	118.5	-0.3	0.2	117.1	112.7	3.9
Edmonton	121.7	-0.3	-0.5	121.4	117.4	3.4
Calgary	121.6	-0.4	-1.2	121.8	118.0	3.2
Vancouver	**113.5**	**-0.1**	**-1.0**	**112.8**	**110.2**	**2.4**
Victoria	**112.2**	**-0.1**	**-1.0**	**111.8**	**109.8**	**1.8**



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British Columbia

Year	All Items	% Change Annual Average		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Trans-portation	Health & Personal	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco
2005	106.3	2.0		104.5	106.2	102.2	99.9	110.5	104.7	107.5	114.3
2006	108.1	1.7		106.5	108.7	102.0	99.9	114.2	106.4	107.5	116.0
2007	110.0	1.8		109.3	110.9	102.6	99.9	116.2	107.9	109.0	119.1
2008	112.3	2.1		112.9	114.3	103.4	99.1	119.1	108.5	109.8	120.7
2008		Month	Year								
Jan	109.9	-0.2	0.8	109.6	112.6	102.2	98.0	115.4	106.9	106.7	119.1
Feb	110.3	0.4	1.1	110.0	112.9	102.5	99.1	115.5	107.0	107.4	120.1
Mar	110.8	0.5	1.2	109.7	113.1	102.5	101.1	117.1	107.3	108.2	120.7
Apr	111.8	0.9	1.7	110.3	113.8	103.8	100.8	119.0	108.9	109.1	120.6
May	112.8	0.9	2.1	111.8	114.1	103.8	97.3	122.4	108.6	111.2	120.8
Jun	113.6	0.7	3.0	113.1	114.1	103.6	97.6	125.2	108.5	111.4	120.7
Jul	114.2	0.5	3.3	113.9	115.4	103.5	97.9	125.7	107.9	111.9	121.0
Aug	114.0	-0.2	3.3	114.1	115.5	103.4	98.7	124.0	109.3	111.8	121.3
Sep	114.1	0.1	3.3	114.7	115.6	104.3	101.3	122.2	109.1	111.9	121.1
Oct	112.8	-1.1	2.5	114.8	115.3	103.6	99.6	118.0	109.3	109.9	121.0
Nov	112.3	-0.4	2.0	116.1	114.9	104.1	101.4	114.0	110.0	109.4	120.7
Dec	111.4	-0.8	1.2	116.4	114.6	103.9	96.2	110.9	109.0	109.0	120.9
2009											
Jan	111.4	0.0	1.4	117.3	114.6	104.1	97.3	110.3	110.0	107.3	122.1
Feb	111.9	0.4	1.5	117.7	114.4	104.7	99.6	111.1	110.6	108.4	122.4
Mar	112.0	0.1	1.1	118.1	113.4	104.9	100.0	111.9	110.1	109.2	123.5
Apr	112.1	0.1	0.3	118.2	112.7	105.9	99.7	112.1	111.3	109.9	124.2
May	112.9	0.7	0.1	118.1	112.5	106.4	100.7	114.2	111.4	112.3	123.9
June	112.8	-0.1	-0.7	117.7	111.6	106.3	96.9	116.7	112.2	112.5	124.2
July	112.4	-0.4	-1.6	118.1	110.7	106.3	98.4	114.9	112.1	112.6	124.2
Aug	112.8	0.4	-1.1	118.4	111.6	106.5	99.1	114.8	112.2	113.0	124.1
Sep	112.7	-0.1	-1.2	117.3	111.4	106.0	102.1	114.6	112.5	113.5	124.2
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Dec											

Canada

Year	All Items	% Change Annual Average		Food	Shelter	Household Operation	Clothing & Footwear	Trans-portation	Health & Personal	Recreation & Education	Alcohol & Tobacco
2005	107.0	2.2		106.4	109.2	101.7	97.6	112.0	104.6	100.8	119.1
2006	109.1	2.0		108.9	113.1	102.2	95.8	115.2	105.9	100.6	121.7
2007	111.5	2.2		111.8	116.9	103.2	95.7	117.1	107.3	101.8	125.5
2008	114.1	2.3		115.7	122.0	104.6	93.8	119.5	108.8	102.2	127.5
2008		Month	Year								
Jan	111.8	-0.2	2.2	112.4	119.2	103.3	92.2	117.6	107.5	99.6	126.4
Feb	112.2	0.4	1.8	112.8	119.6	104.1	94.1	117.0	107.7	100.8	126.8
Mar	112.6	0.4	1.4	112.6	120.1	104.1	96.0	117.8	107.9	101.3	126.6
Apr	113.5	0.8	1.7	113.5	121.2	104.4	94.3	120.1	108.3	101.6	126.7
May	114.6	1.0	2.2	114.6	121.6	104.3	93.0	123.6	108.6	102.9	127.4
Jun	115.4	0.7	3.1	115.8	122.3	104.3	92.5	125.8	108.7	102.9	127.7
Jul	115.8	0.3	3.4	116.5	123.3	104.4	93.3	125.7	108.5	103.2	127.6
Aug	115.6	-0.2	3.5	116.8	123.8	104.4	93.7	123.1	109.3	103.5	127.5
Sep	115.7	0.1	3.4	117.1	123.1	105.6	96.1	122.4	109.4	103.9	128.0
Oct	114.5	-1.0	2.6	117.4	123.2	105.2	94.4	117.0	109.2	103.0	128.0
Nov	114.1	-0.3	2.0	119.5	123.4	105.5	94.1	113.2	110.1	101.9	128.5
Dec	113.3	-0.7	1.2	119.8	123.4	105.5	91.3	110.3	109.9	101.2	128.7
2009											
Jan	113.0	-0.3	1.1	120.6	123.1	105.7	91.8	108.8	110.4	99.7	129.2
Feb	113.8	0.7	1.4	121.2	123.2	106.4	93.6	110.2	110.4	101.1	129.2
Mar	114.0	0.2	1.2	121.5	122.6	106.8	95.7	110.5	110.5	101.8	129.7
Apr	113.9	-0.1	0.4	121.6	121.4	107.3	95.1	110.5	111.1	102.4	129.7
May	114.7	0.7	0.1	121.9	121.4	107.6	93.9	113.5	112.1	103.8	131.2
June	115.1	0.3	-0.3	122.2	121.3	107.3	91.3	116.1	112.8	103.8	131.6
July	114.7	-0.3	-0.9	122.3	120.8	107.1	91.3	114.3	112.5	104.3	131.5
Aug	114.7	0.0	-0.8	121.5	121.1	107.0	92.1	114.8	112.5	104.4	131.4
Sep	114.7	0.0	-0.9	120.4	120.9	107.9	94.9	113.6	113.7	105.0	131.3
Oct											
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September 2009 — Consumer Price Index (2002=100) — Selected Items

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		Rented Accommodation	Owned Accommodation	Energy for Dwellings: Piped Gas	Energy for Dwellings: Fuel Oil/Other Fuel	Energy for Dwellings: Electricity	Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items Excluding Food	All Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	All Items Excluding Food & Energy
	2005	102.4	106.6	119.0	162.4	105.6	135.8	123.2	106.7	106.0	105.2
	2006	102.8	109.8	120.6	167.3	107.9	145.2	129.0	108.5	107.8	106.6
	2007	104.0	112.8	118.4	175.9	108.1	150.7	131.4	110.1	109.7	108.2
	2008	106.1	116.0	126.3	220.3	111.4	169.6	143.9	112.2	112.0	109.3
2008	Jan	105.1	114.8	116.9	193.0	108.6	148.8	130.3	110.0	109.6	108.1
	Feb	105.3	115.2	116.9	193.6	108.6	153.0	132.5	110.4	110.0	108.3
	Mar	105.5	115.3	116.9	213.6	108.6	162.9	138.0	111.0	110.5	108.6
	Apr	105.6	115.8	116.9	227.3	113.5	172.0	144.0	112.1	111.5	109.2
	May	105.8	116.1	116.9	237.9	113.5	185.3	151.1	113.0	112.5	109.5
	Jun	106.0	116.0	117.6	237.9	113.5	197.7	157.5	113.6	113.3	109.7
	Jul	106.3	116.0	144.5	240.6	113.5	204.5	166.1	114.2	113.9	109.5
	Aug	106.4	116.0	144.5	240.6	113.5	194.8	161.2	114.0	113.7	109.7
	Sep	106.5	116.2	144.5	243.4	113.5	192.3	159.9	114.0	113.8	109.8
	Oct	106.8	117.4	126.8	230.0	109.8	169.9	144.0	112.4	112.5	109.5
	Nov	106.9	116.8	126.8	210.7	109.8	136.3	126.5	111.6	112.0	110.1
	Dec	107.1	116.4	126.8	174.8	109.8	117.5	116.2	110.3	111.0	109.7
2009	Jan	107.1	116.4	126.0	162.0	109.8	126.8	120.6	110.1	111.0	109.1
	Feb	107.3	116.0	126.0	158.1	109.8	131.9	123.2	110.7	111.5	109.5
	Mar	107.4	114.6	126.0	139.2	109.8	135.5	124.7	110.7	111.6	109.4
	Apr	107.4	113.8	113.0	158.5	114.4	138.2	125.1	110.9	111.7	109.5
	May	107.6	113.5	113.0	154.8	114.4	144.2	128.1	111.8	112.5	110.2
	June	107.8	113.1	113.0	154.8	102.7	153.5	130.1	111.8	112.4	110.1
	July	108.0	112.4	115.3	157.4	91.1	151.0	126.4	111.2	112.0	109.8
	Aug	108.1	111.7	115.3	157.4	114.4	151.1	132.2	111.7	112.4	109.7
	Sep	108.2	111.3	115.3	172.1	114.4	153.9	133.8	111.8	112.3	109.7
	Oct										
	Nov										
	Dec										

CANADA

		Rented Accommodation	Owned Accommodation	Energy for Dwellings: Piped Gas	Energy for Dwellings: Fuel Oil/Other Fuel	Energy for Dwellings: Electricity	Motor Gasoline	Energy*	All Items Excluding Food	All Items Excluding Alcohol & Tobacco	All Items Excluding Food & Energy
	2005	103.4	109.2	136.3	158.7	104.9	132.6	126.3	107.1	106.5	105.3
	2006	104.4	113.7	140.5	165.9	110.8	139.8	132.8	109.2	108.6	106.9
	2007	106.0	119.3	131.3	172.5	112.9	146.1	135.9	111.4	110.9	109.0
	2008	107.8	124.6	146.8	225.4	113.2	164.7	149.3	113.8	113.5	110.3
2008	Jan	107.0	122.5	126.9	204.2	110.9	152.8	139.0	111.7	111.2	109.0
	Feb	107.2	123.0	127.1	202.4	110.8	153.7	139.4	112.1	111.6	109.4
	Mar	107.3	123.4	129.9	219.9	110.7	159.3	143.2	112.7	112.1	109.6
	Apr	107.4	123.9	138.0	234.5	112.5	168.9	150.2	113.5	113.0	109.9
	May	107.6	124.1	139.4	252.7	112.9	183.7	158.4	114.6	114.1	110.3
	Jun	107.7	124.4	150.9	252.7	112.9	194.3	165.3	115.3	114.8	110.3
	Jul	107.9	124.7	164.2	252.9	115.1	196.7	169.1	115.7	115.3	110.4
	Aug	108.1	124.8	174.5	252.9	114.6	183.7	164.0	115.4	115.1	110.5
	Sep	108.2	125.1	158.3	239.0	113.2	185.3	161.5	115.4	115.2	110.8
	Oct	108.4	126.2	148.6	225.5	113.2	160.5	147.5	113.9	113.9	110.6
	Nov	108.6	126.4	151.6	195.9	115.2	126.2	130.7	113.0	113.5	111.3
	Dec	108.7	126.6	152.4	172.3	116.3	111.3	123.0	112.0	112.7	111.0
2009	Jan	108.8	126.8	143.2	165.5	115.1	116.9	123.8	111.5	112.4	110.3
	Feb	108.9	126.7	145.4	157.6	115.8	123.4	127.2	112.3	113.2	110.8
	Mar	109.0	126.4	142.3	147.6	114.1	125.9	127.1	112.5	113.4	111.1
	Apr	109.1	126.2	113.8	155.9	113.6	127.1	123.9	112.3	113.2	111.2
	May	109.2	125.9	113.2	150.1	115.6	137.6	129.4	113.2	114.1	111.7
	June	109.3	125.8	115.2	150.1	114.6	147.0	133.9	113.6	114.4	111.7
	July	109.4	125.7	104.9	150.3	114.9	141.0	129.6	113.1	114.0	111.5
	Aug	109.7	125.4	108.0	150.3	117.1	144.7	132.6	113.4	114.1	111.5
	Sep	109.8	125.2	106.0	160.8	115.8	142.6	131.3	113.5	114.0	111.8
	Oct										
	Nov										
	Dec										

** Energy includes Piped Gas, Fuel Oil/Other Fuel, Electricity, and Motor Gasoline*

September 2009 Consumer Price Index (2002=100)

Vancouver

			% Change			Accommodation		Water, Fuel
	Year	All Items	Annual Average		Shelter	Rented	Owned	Electricity
	2005	106.0	1.9		105.1	102.7	105.3	109.5
	2006	108.0	1.9		108.2	103.2	109.5	112.4
	2007	110.2	2.0		111.8	104.3	114.9	112.3
	2008	112.8	2.4		115.6	106.5	119.0	118.4
			Month	Year				
2008	Jan	110.2	-0.3	1.1	113.8	105.5	117.7	112.6
	Feb	110.7	0.5	1.3	114.2	105.6	118.2	112.7
	Mar	111.2	0.5	1.5	114.2	105.8	118.2	112.8
	Apr	112.1	0.8	1.9	114.9	105.9	118.8	115.1
	May	113.2	1.0	2.4	115.3	106.2	119.2	115.2
	Jun	113.9	0.6	3.1	115.3	106.4	119.2	115.2
	Jul	114.7	0.7	3.6	117.0	106.7	119.2	128.5
	Aug	114.5	-0.2	3.5	117.0	106.8	119.1	128.5
	Sep	114.6	0.1	3.5	117.1	106.8	119.3	128.4
	Oct	113.4	-1.0	2.7	116.5	107.1	120.4	117.3
	Nov	112.9	-0.4	2.3	116.2	107.2	119.8	117.2
	Dec	111.9	-0.9	1.3	115.8	107.4	119.2	116.9
2009	Jan	112.0	0.1	1.6	116.0	107.5	119.3	117.9
	Feb	112.5	0.4	1.6	115.8	107.5	119.0	118.0
	Mar	112.6	0.1	1.3	114.8	107.8	117.2	117.9
	Apr	112.6	0.0	0.4	113.6	107.8	116.2	113.0
	May	113.3	0.6	0.1	113.4	108.0	115.9	113.0
	June	113.3	0.0	-0.5	112.7	108.2	115.7	107.6
	July	112.9	-0.4	-1.6	111.8	108.4	114.9	103.3
	Aug	113.6	0.6	-0.8	113.3	108.5	115.2	114.0
	Sep	113.5	-0.1	-1.0	113.0	108.6	114.8	114.1
	Oct							
	Nov							
	Dec							

Victoria

			% Change			Accommodation		Water, Fuel
	Year	All Items	Annual Average		Shelter	Rented	Owned	Electricity
	2005	106.9	2.2		108.3	102.5	109.0	116.4
	2006	108.5	1.5		110.2	103.3	111.1	119.2
	2007	109.8	1.2		110.4	104.6	110.6	121.2
	2008	111.8	1.8		112.8	106.8	112.3	130.5
			Month	Year				
2008	Jan	109.4	-0.3	0.3	111.3	105.7	111.2	124.9
	Feb	109.8	0.4	0.5	111.6	105.9	111.6	124.9
	Mar	110.4	0.5	0.6	111.9	106.2	111.7	126.8
	Apr	111.4	0.9	1.4	112.9	106.4	112.4	131.6
	May	112.3	0.8	1.9	112.9	106.5	112.3	132.8
	Jun	113.0	0.6	2.8	112.9	106.6	112.1	133.4
	Jul	113.3	0.3	2.9	113.0	106.8	112.1	134.4
	Aug	113.2	-0.1	2.9	113.2	107.2	112.1	134.4
	Sep	113.3	0.1	2.9	113.4	107.3	112.4	134.9
	Oct	112.3	-0.9	2.6	113.9	107.4	113.6	131.6
	Nov	111.9	-0.4	2.1	113.5	107.6	113.1	129.9
	Dec	111.0	-0.8	1.2	113.2	107.8	113.0	126.8
2009	Jan	111.0	0.0	1.5	113.1	107.8	112.8	126.1
	Feb	111.4	0.4	1.5	112.8	108.0	112.4	125.8
	Mar	111.6	0.2	1.1	112.0	108.0	111.4	124.1
	Apr	111.9	0.3	0.4	112.2	108.2	110.8	129.4
	May	112.6	0.6	0.3	112.1	108.4	110.6	129.7
	June	112.5	-0.1	-0.4	111.1	108.6	110.0	121.5
	July	112.1	-0.4	-1.1	110.1	108.9	109.4	113.8
	Aug	112.3	0.2	-0.8	110.1	108.6	107.3	130.2
	Sep	112.2	-0.1	-1.0	110.0	108.9	107.0	130.7
	Oct							
	Nov							
	Dec							